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Sir:

In accordance with 37 CFR 1.56, Applicants wish to call the Examiner's attention to the references cited on the attached form PTO-1449, which references were first cited in communications from foreign patent offices in a counterpart foreign application.

Copies of these references are enclosed herewith along with copies of the British and French Search Reports. Enclosed are English translations for JP 2000136270 and JP 2000191918 and an English abstract is included for JP 8151480. Copies of EP 0704560, EP 0704437, GB 2317893 and U.S. 5,998,116 have already been submitted in a previous Information Disclosure Statement.

The Examiner is requested to consider the foregoing information in relation to this application and indicate that each reference was considered by returning a copy of the initialed PTO 1449 form.

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